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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PFOR, UN, PARM

SUBJECT: UN SPECIAL SESSION ON DISARMAMENT

REF: MONROVIA 1023

1. SONI SHERMAN, DIRECTOR FOR INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS AT THE FOREIGN MINISTRY, TOLD THE POLITICAL COUNSELOR FEBRUARY 18 THAT HE WOULD LIKE TO SOLICIT IDEAS FROM THE U.S. GOVERNMENT CONCERNING POSSIBLE SUBJECTS OF DISCUSSION TO BE PROMOTED BY THE GOL AT THE UN SPECIAL SESSION ON DISARMEMENT AND AT THE THREE PREPARATORY CONFERENCES WHICH WILL PRECEDE IT. SHERMAN REPEATED HIS EARLIER STATEMENT (REFTEL) THAT THE GOL BELIEVES IT USELESS TO DRAFT, DEBATE OR VOTE ON RESOLUTIONS WHICH CANNOT BE ACCEPTED OR IMPLEMENTED BY THE AFFECTED POWERS. SHERMAN SAID HE WOULD LIKE TO RECOMMEND TO FOREIGN MINISTER DENNIS THOSE MATTERS RELATING TO DISARMAMENT WHICH COULD BE USEFULLY DISCUSSED AT THE CONFERENCES AND THE SSOD. SHERMAN SPECIFICALLY ASKED TO KNOW WHAT MATTERS THE U.S. WOULD LIKE TO HAVE BROUGHT UP FOR DISCUSSION.

2. COMMENT: THE GOL WANTS NEITHER TO BE CONSIDERED AN APPENDAGE
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OF AMERICAN FOREIGN POLICY NOR A MEMBER OF ANY "AUTOMATIC MAJORITY."

SHERMAN IS SINCERELY LOOKING FOR A WAY IN WHICH THE GOL CAN CONTRIBUTE TO MAKING THE SSOD INTO SOMETHING MORE THAN A PRO FORMA EXERCISE. THE EMBASSY BELIEVES THAT ANY SUGGESTIONS OR GUIDANCE THE DEPARTMENT MIGHT BE ABLE TO PROVIDE THE GOL WILL RECEIVE SYMPATHETIC ATTENTION.

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